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Applicant has provided a copy of foreign language reference #6. There is currently no readily available English language translation or abstract corresponding to the reference.

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Applicant further reserves the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following amendments to the specification. The two listed changes relate to errors arising from references cited in the specification. The amendment to Mosesson reference corrects an inadvertent error in the page number for the cited reference, i.e. from page 5726 to 5728. The amendment to the plasminogen activator inhibitor reference corrects the author and date of publication of the cited reference. Because the subject matter is similar and the name of the journal and the page numbers for the reference are identical, Applicants believe that Kruithof et al. (Reference #3) is the correct cited reference. As a result, there has been no new matter presented in the amendments proposed below.